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#### TRAIL IS GOING STRONG

Every hockey enthusiast in this district is following with keen interest the progress being made by the Trail Smoke Eaters in quest of the Allan Cup, and hoping that they will be successful in bringing back that much coveted trophy.

In the interprovincial play-off, they were successful in eliminating Blaimore for Alberta by a six-to-two score (3-1 each game), and Saskatchewan for Saskatchewan by a similar score. In the opener with the Manitoba Thunder Bay winners, played at Port Arthur last night, they defeated Port Arthur to a similar tune, and it is confidently felt that they can go even further and ultimately land the Dominion championship.

The second game with Port Arthur will take place tomorrow night.

#### "THE DESERT SONG," GLORIOUS SCREEN VERSION OF OPERA

John Boles, who portrays the masterful glorious singing role of "The Red Shadow," has won the highest critical praise for his work.

One of the most effective scenes in "The Desert Song," Warner Brothers' Vitaphone operetta, coming to the Orpheum theatre on March 27, 28 and 29, is the leave-taking between the mysterious Red Shadow and his band of Rif followers, by whom he has been condemned to banishment into the desert, with neither food nor water, and no arms except his own broken sword. There is a great bond of affection between the leader and his men, but he has refused to meet the French General Birabeau in single combat—knowing him to be his father—and the law of the tribe is inexorable.

The story of "The Desert Song" is full of heart throbs, many of which are based on the love of Red Shadow for Margot, the French girl who is strangely attracted by the masked bandit chieftain, but has no eyes for his other self, Pierre Birabeau.

John Boles and Carlotta King are seen as the Red Shadow and Margot, respectively, and other important members of the all-star cast are Louise Fazenda, Myrna Loy, John Miljan, Johnny Arthur, Marie Wells, Jack Pratt, Edward Martindel, Robert E. Guzman and Otto Hoffman. The production was filmed under the direction of Roy Del Ruth, and the screen adaptation of the operetta was made by Harvey H. Gates.

It is said that Russian coal is being conveyed to the Canadian market at a freight rate cheaper than that between points within some of the provinces. Approximately two and a half million tons is expected to arrive in Canada during the next few years.

Caledonia Oil Company, Limited, of Calgary, the president of which is W. G. Healey, M.E., district inspector of mines, Blaimore, will drill in Red Coulee field this year. Russell V. Johnson, consulting geologist for the company, will select the site on LSD 10, Section 5, Township 1-16-14. This company also has holdings in the Gordon Campbell field, Sinclair Structure, Ghost River and Turner Valley.—Lethbridge Herald.

Among the official delegates to the district convention of the Women's Institute at Lethbridge this week are: Mrs. J. F. Price, Calgary; Mrs. F. C. Aleock, Champion; Mrs. Thompson, Calgary; Mrs. A. T. Martin, Vulcan; Mrs. Thompson, Coaldale; Mrs. J. P. Ferguson, Trochu; Mrs. C. Lynch-Staunton, Lundbreck; Mrs. J. Blanchard, Burnin; Mrs. H. Johnson, Bassano; Mrs. H. J. Montgomery, Wetaskiwin; Mrs. Greenwood, Macleod; Mrs. Campbell, Milk River; Mrs. Fulton, Walsh; Mrs. John Fowle, Social Plains; Mrs. Duncan Clark, Cluny; Mrs. Stutz, Cardston; Mrs. Blance, Spring Coulee.

#### INQUEST CONCLUDED

The adjourned inquest into the cause of death of Frank Czok was held at the court house yesterday, before Dr. J. Olivier as coroner. Present were: Moses Johnson, representing the mines department; L. P. Robert, representing the West Canadian Collieries, Limited, and Evan Morgan, representing the employees.

The following witnesses were examined: Dr. Stewart, Frank Bomtardier (a fellow worker, who barely escaped with his life), Robert Gaber, John Maddison, Camille Canet, Emil Blas, J. Whitehead and Moses Johnson.

The following verdict was returned:

"We, the undersigned, have come to the conclusion that Frank Czok, on or about the 17th of February, 1920, came to his death by being crushed by a cave-in of rock and coal on 118½ pillar in No. 3 level of the West Canadian Collieries' Greenhill mine at Blaimore, Alberta.

"We find no evidence to show carelessness or negligence on the part of any person or persons whatsoever."

Signed: Wilfred Goddard (foreman), John A. Kerr, J. S. Whyte, L. Comfort, L. Dunkley, P. McPherson.

#### WELSH IMPERIAL SINGERS ENTERTAIN RECORD HOUSE

A house that crowded all seating space to capacity greeted the Welsh Imperial Singers at the opera house here last night. The programme throughout was of an excellent character, demonstrating remarkable talent, and every item demanded an encore. At the conclusion of the programme, Mr. R. Festyn-Davies, conductor, expressed appreciation of the splendid reception accorded them, and promised, if at all possible, to include Blaimore in the itinerary of the return tour from the Pacific coast.

#### ST. PATRICK'S ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment staged at the opera house on St. Patrick's night, under the auspices of St. Anne's Catholic church, was well patronized and much enjoyed. The chief items on the programme were: Selections by the Coleman orchestra; a three-act play, entitled "Maggie Murphy," by the groupings; a one-act play, entitled "Grandmother's Rose Jar," by the juniors; Irish jigs, dances, songs, choruses, etc.

We understand that the programme is being repeated at the Coleman opera house tonight.

#### INSTITUTE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Acknowledgments this week are: Mrs. W. Howe, two books; Mr. A. Greig, four books, and John Battel, one book.

There are now 2080 books on the shelves. Among the new books to be placed this week are two by Flora Klickman, "The Trail of the Ragged Robin" and "The Flower Patch Among the Hills." These are books breathing the freshness of the open air and are written in a most attractive style. You will enjoy these.

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## WHAT PRICE SOULS

Magistrates of this province are at their wit's end to arrange for the wisest disposal of young boys who come before them. With all the money that is raised in Alberta for the general social betterment, no provision is made for dealing with erring youth. A young lad of fourteen years of age, whose mother died some years ago, and whose father is worthless and has disappeared, is arraigned for theft for the third time. What can the magistrate do with him? Nobody cares.

Another case is that of a fifteen year old boy who has come up repeatedly for theft. The magistrate must have no choice but to send him to the penitentiary for a term of years. This almost inevitably is a sentence of death to his future citizenship.

It would appear that human souls are a cheap commodity in this as in many other countries. Money is spent for beauty commissions, what more beautiful than a human being salvaged to usefulness. Money is spent on roads, on livestock, education, health. But there is no adequate provision for the homeless, erring youth, whereby he may be taught useful occupation and healthful living and emerge a real asset to the country.

Why should not some of the mounting liquor revenue be diverted to such a purpose. It would be most suitable.—Ex.

## A BELIEVER IN CO-OPERATION

The following is an excerpt from an address recently delivered by Premier Brownlee to a convention of the U.F.A.

"We have to remember that we are travelling a road that has its winding curves, and that we go down through the valleys and up over the hills. We take strength because of

that has been accomplished in the past, and we look to the future with courage and with hope just in proportion as we have the spirit to travel that road. I am one that believes in organization, if that organization is based on co-operation and understanding. We are in a position to face those hills, those difficulties, just in proportion as men can stand with women, not only in the same position, but in different industries: just in that proportion can we make the rapid progress that we can hope to make as citizens of this country. I have long ago come to this very profound conviction, that while leadership is necessary and while it is desirable that those in positions of trust, whether in governments or organizations, should be blessed with certain powers of constructive imagination, progress is rapid or progress is slow, depending upon the loyalty and enthusiasm of various forms of organization that we find organized effort can be more efficient than organized effort."

The above might well apply to practically any organization.

## "ON TRIAL" WARNER BROS.

LEAD BY THE REAR

New York critics hailed the stage play, "On Trial," as being realistic as an actual trial—a brilliant condensation of the most dramatic elements of a score of famous murder trials—when it began its forty-six-week run on Broadway.

Because for the first time it introduced the "flash-back," previously used only by the movies, it was particularly suitable for picture adaptation, and Warner Bros. have made it into a sensational special with an all-star cast which no Broadway play could possibly excel.

The cast, which is headed by Danne Frederick, Bert Ytelle and Lol Wilson, includes Holmes Herbert, John Roberts, Franklin Pangborn, Edward Martinelli, Johnny Arthur, Edmund Preese, Richard Tucker, Fred Kelsey and Vendell Darr.

The play opens in court on the first day of a murder trial. The accused friend and debtor of the victim, has confessed to the crime. The testimony of the widow of the slain man's private secretary, of the prisoner's little daughter, of his wife and of the doctor who examined the dead man, gradually unfolds the romantic story of love, hate, trust, deceit, strength,

weakness and honor. Not until the final gripping moment is the solution clear.

"On Trial" comes to the Orpheum Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

## WELL DONE, BLAIRMORE!

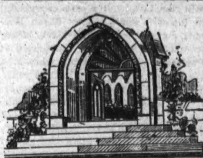
The Blairmore Bearcats, to give them the appellation the fans love, won the hockey championship of Alberta. They started out in quest of the Allan cup, which is the emblem of the amateur hockey championship of the Dominion; but they lost to a sister mining town in British Columbia, where the Trail team—the Smoke Eaters—defeated them on the round.

Now, while the Bearcats didn't win over the Smoke Eaters, and thus enter the next round of the eliminations, we are all very proud of the Blairmore boys here in Southern Alberta. For the boys of the Blairmore hockey squad are practically all "home brews," youngsters who learned to play their hockey at home. They have shown themselves adept at Canada's national winter pastime. They are all boys who work in and about the mines at Blairmore and have their homes there; they are part of the community, and by their playing they have furnished their home town with splendid sport.

The Crows' Nest Pass Hockey League, of which the Blairmore team won the championship this season, is one of the best sport organizations in the province. Organized after the way by R. J. Dinning, now liquor commissioner, the league has fostered the winter sport always with an eye to developing the youngsters and thus furnishing a warm local interest in the players. While it has not won every provincial championship since its organization, it has won a lion's share, and Blairmore has led in the winnings. So the people of Blairmore are naturally proud of their champions, as are the sister towns of the league, and the people of Southern Alberta generally.—Lethbridge Herald.

## AND WHY SLAM AGNES?

Miss Agnes McPhail has again had her spotlight. The House enjoyed her declaration that the removal of her teeth had brought about beneficial results to her temper, and her suggestion that a similar operation might be of advantage to some members of the other sex. She has brought forward again her resolution that for \$100.00 spent in preparation, Canada should spend at least \$1.00 for education along lines of peace. It will probably get nowhere, but Miss McPhail is not easily discouraged and may yet accomplish something for the cause of peace.—Ottawa Correspondence.



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7.30 p.m.—PUBLIC WORSHIP.

Subject: "Thou shalt not steal." This is the seventh sermon in the series, "The Ten Commandments in 1930." The seventh commandment will be considered at a later time.

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Pastor: Rev. J. W. Smith, B.D.

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2 p.m.—Senior School, for young people over 12 years.

3 p.m.—Public Worship.

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Services Sunday next—Matins at 11.15. Sunday school at the usual time. Rev. Mr. Barlow, of Brockton, will be in charge.

The following Sunday, March 30, the minister will deliver an address on the Missionary work of the Church in the Yukon, and will relate some early experiences of the gold rush days, which should prove of interest.

Long Sing, a Chinese business man of Milk River, was brutally murdered on Monday night. The assailant is still at large.

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The employment of labor is deliberately penalized by all our legislative bodies. The Dominion Government, the provincial legislatures and our municipal councils all act as though employment of labor, or the production of labor be any useful thing, or the doing of any useful act, were a crime, to be punished instead of being worthy of encouragement. Let a man engage in any occupation whatever and he will be subject to a fine. Calling it a tax does not in any way change it from operating like any other fine. If you want to get rid of dogs you tax them; the higher the tax the fewer the dogs. If you want to discourage men from getting drunk you fine them for doing so. Yet, this is exactly what our legislatures do to anyone who employs labor. If a man erects a house the municipal tax amounts to from three to six months of the rent and in many cases is equal to a mortgage of 50 per cent of the value at the current rate of interest. If a man operates a brick yard he must pay a tax. If he makes doors or sashes for buildings he is taxed. If a building, after it is erected, is used for manufacturing or any other purpose involving the employment of labor, the original tax on the building is increased by from 25 to 75 per cent.

If a man brings useful articles into the country, the government levies a tax of from 25 to 50 per cent of the value. The whole trend of our laws, in effect, says: "Trade and the employment of labor are detrimental to the well-being of the country and must be prevented at all costs. But when we come to deal with land which is the common heritage of the race and which, in theory at least, belongs to the people of the country who inhabit it, we find that a different treatment is accorded to it.

Remember, land is the first essential element in the employment of labor. All things are produced from it by human labor and without it men cannot labor. It is an essential factor in production and yet, instead of our laws being devised to make it equally free to all who would use it for the common good, we allow it to be monopolized and kept idle by its "owners"—in fact, they are encouraged to keep it idle, for the moment the owner seeks to make use of it productively by employing labor upon it the tax on it is increased to such an extent that in many cases it is unprofitable to use it, and so it remains idle and forces unemployment on others.

If the government was really serious in its efforts to prevent unemployment and would readjust our system of taxation to penalize men for keeping land idle, and to encourage them in employing labor upon it, not only would the need for unemployment insurance disappear, but along with it, all danger of bad times.

Canada then could and would welcome to her shore all willing to work, for every addition to our population under these conditions would be of benefit to all in the country.—The Square Deal, Toronto.

Bill says that some people are so expert they can pat your back and harpoon you at the same time.

## MOVE MONUMENT AT SUMMIT OF ROCKIES

The monument at the summit of the Kicking Horse Pass, marking the Great Divide of the Rockies, familiar to all travellers by the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway, has recently been taken down by the company and re-erected upon a new site several feet farther west. From early surveys it was believed that the previous site marked the actual height of land but during the detailed survey of the boundary between Alberta and British Columbia, carried out by the Interprovincial Boundary Commission, more accurate data were obtained which necessitated a number of changes in the delimitation of the watershed. Among these was the summit of the Kicking Horse Pass.

The spot is of great interest to transcontinental travellers and for many years the C.P.R. has arranged that all through trains should stop here for a few minutes to allow passengers to alight and take photographs. The new Kicking Horse highway from Lake Louise to Field, which links the Banff and Yoho national parks, also passes within a short distance of this point, although at a higher level, and the observation point of the highway, looking across to the Great Divide and down the Bow valley to the east, gives one of the finest views along the eastern section of this road.

The National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior proposes to lay out a small landscape development adjacent to both highway and monument and to restore the natural character of the tiny stream which here divides, one branch taking its way to the waters of the Pacific ocean and the other to the Atlantic.

## WHEN IS A MAN OLD

The minute a man ceases to grow, no matter what his years, that minute he begins to be old.

Many men are old fogies at 25. They are satisfied with their jobs, have accumulated a little stock of prejudices that they call principles and have closed their minds to all new ideas.

But as long as a man can keep himself still growing, still knowing that he has a lot to learn, he is young.

Laplace, the astronomer at 78, died while at work saying "What we know is nothing, what we do not know is immense."

Goethe died at 83, after completing his Faust. Gladstone was studying new languages at 70; Bismark did his greatest work after seventy; Titian the painter lived to be 99, painting right up to his death.

According to the life span of other mammals, man's period of life should be five times his period of growth. A dog gets his growth in two years and lives ten; a horse in five years and lives 25. On this basis man should live to be 100. But in Shakespeare's time a man was old at 40. Sir Walter Scott complained at 55 of being an old man. Montague retired at 38 to spend his declining years in peace and Dr. Samuel Johnson, once said that at 35 man reached his peak and was thereafter on the down grade.

The art of keeping young seems to lie with the individual himself. The constant seeker may die, but he never grows old.

Regardless of what happens in the inter-provincial play-offs for the Allan Cup, between the Blairmore Bearcats and the Trail Smoke Eaters, the new Alberta champions have certainly had a highly successful season, and Blairmore citizens should be doubly proud of their hockeyists in that they are all home-brews.—Drumheller Mail.

All owners of radio receiving sets are reminded that their licenses expire on March 31st. Licenses for the fiscal year commencing with April 1st are now available at the local R.C.M. Police barracks. Every radio owner, who does not possess a license, is liable to a maximum penalty of \$50.

## A SPRING SONG

The "winter of our discontent" (as old Bill Shakespeare once said), is over and we now welcome another spring—changeable and provoking though it so often proves. It can well be dubbed the season of contrasts. It is the time of bubbling youth, joy and mating happiness. It is also associated with coughs and chills, sulphur and molasses, fertilizer, seed catalogues and "suckers runnin' in the creeks." The air is filled with the sweet and cleanly smell of leaves and green grass, of blossoms and all sorts of growing things; also with the demand of our wives and daughters for new rainment. The sienna-hued organ-grinder with his hurdy-gurdy is found on the streets, and the rumble of the ice-wagon has supplanted the creak of the coal cart. The railway navy has burned the dead grass along the railway tracks in the country, and the town dweller has spaded up his back-yard garden. It is the time of fond hopes, of beautiful dreams and love. It also rains like hell at times. The wild strawberry will soon be ripening on the warm hillsides and the white hawthorn spreading its sweet fragrance in "the fields beyond." Down in the swamps Mr. and Mrs. Mosquito, just newly married, have commenced an intensive production campaign and millions of their dirty peaky little brats will soon be tormenting the lives and legs of those who "dwell near nature's heart." It is a season of strong extremes of hot days and chilly nights—of bright sunshines and spring showers—of early snowdrifts and occasional snowstorms—of the illing liquid melodies of the song birds and the ribald raucous cries of the crows and grackles. It is about the meanest, dirtiest and most uncertain time of the year, but, darn it, this pesky hide—we like it because of its promise for more glorious days to come.—Ex.

Half the world wonders how the other half pays its amusement bills.

A Scot had been sentenced to a term of imprisonment, and on his first day a burly warden arrived with a brush and a large bucket of water.

"That's to wash your cell," he said briefly and departed.

A few minutes later, hearing strange sounds, the warden returned to find the Scot robed in Nature's garb, standing in the bucket, and shivering dolefully as he scrubbed himself with the brush.

"Ere, wot are you doing of?" gasped the guardian.

"Well," chattered Mac, "didn't you tell me wash ma'sel'?"

Rev. Mr. Gunn will give an illustrated lecture in the interest of the Red Cross society at the United church tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission fee and everybody that is interested in Red Cross work are cordially invited to be present.

## Telephoning in Russia

"Hello, is this you Dvatsibhigoren-silvestrazel?"

"No, it's Voldisgnikisfnialnvkliski. Who is this speaking?"

"Gramskivitchanskikigili. I want to know if Tschawkingivstski is staying with you."—Selected.

## Blackbird Files

Two colored gentlemen who had just reduced the population of a farmer's henroost were making a get-away.

"Laws, Mose," gasped Sam, "why you s'pose them files follows us so close?"

"Keep gallopin', nigger," said Mose, "them aint files, them's buckshot."

Unusually heavy pre-Lenten weddings were indicated this month from the Windsor street station, Montreal, when 25 blushing honey-mooners left that city for Ottawa, Quebec and New York on one morning. Station officials say that it is very heavy for the time of year and comes close to the number leaving the station on mornings of Cupid's special month of June.

## Dance Call of Yesterday

Slute yer partner and let her go; Balance all and do-se-do. Swing yer gal and run away; Right and left, the gents asahy. Gents to the right and swing or cheat; On to the next gal and repeat. Bunch the gals and circle round; Whack yer feet until they bound. Form a basket and break away; Swing around and all get gay. All gents left and balance all; Lift yer hoofs and let 'em fall. Swing yer opposite, swing agin'; Ketch the sagehens if you ken. Back to partner, do-se-do; All join hands and off you go. Gents salute your little sweeties; Hitch and promenade to seats.

## Why Plumbers Get Rich

The plumber worked and the helper stood helplessly looking on. He was learning the business. This was his first day.

"Say," he inquired, "do you charge for my time?"

"Certainly, you idiot," came the reply.

"But I haven't done anything."

The plumber, to fill in the hour had been looking at the finished job with a lighted candle. Handing the two inches of it that were still unburned to the helper, he said witheringly: "Here, if you gotta be so darned conscientious, blow that out!"—Ex.

## Ain't It The Truth

"You are charged," said the Judge, "with beating up this government inspector. What have you to say?"

"Nothing," replied the grocer. "I am guilty. I lost my head. All morning I held my temper while government agents inspected my scales, tasted my butter, smelled my meat, gusted my kerosene. In addition, your honor, I had just answered three federal questionnaires. Then this bird came along and wanted to take moving pictures of my cheese and I pasted him in the eye."—Type Graphic.

## Different Now

He was to be married and went to his tailor to be measured for the wedding outfit. When the agony was over the tailor coughed apologetically. "I am sorry, Mr. Smith, but I must ask you to pay cash for these suits!" "What?" I've had an account with you for fourteen years and I've always settled half-yearly.

"I know," said the tailor, "but up to now you've always had the handling of your own money."

Endeavoring to judge the strength of various hockey teams in Alberta this season, on exhibition and play-off games, proves to be something of a problem. At least, results in games played would indicate that. However, the Blairmore gang were outstanding.—Drumheller Mail.

## He Was Unfortunate

"Talking again!" said the master, eyeing his class sternly. "You two boys at the back will write your names one hundred and fifty times." Presently one boy joyously began to weep.

"Why, what's the matter, haven't you finished yet?" asked the master.

"Please, sir, it isn't fair," said the small boy. "His name is John Dodd, and mine is Marmaduke Christopher Hathellwaite."

Four Scotchmen had dinner in a restaurant. When it came to paying, they disagreed. Finally, they decided that the waiter should be blindfolded and that the first one he touched should foot the bill. They are still at large.

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 Simister, N.G.; Sister Barattelli, V.G.;  
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 alted Ruler, J. B. McLeod, Secretary.

### COWLEY HAPPENINGS

In spite of bad roads a large crowd  
 was present when a concert was staged  
 in the Tustian hall by the Ladies  
 Auxiliary, under the leadership of  
 Mrs. Robert Littleton, on Friday  
 night. Special preparations were  
 made by way of illuminations, there  
 being footlights on the stage as well  
 as a spotlight which lent its ray of  
 brilliancy on the performers. After  
 anxiously waiting, the crowd was re-  
 warded when the curtain rose and the  
 concert opened with a burst of mu-  
 sic from the orchestra, when it played  
 "Happy Hours," with the encore  
 "Stolen Kisses." The second number  
 on the programme was lengthy and  
 pleasing in the extreme, it being  
 "Picture Song," which included the  
 following in descriptive style and  
 fancy dress: "Sweet and Low,"  
 "School Days," "Old Black Joe,"  
 "Just a Song at Twilight," "Mothers  
 Maehrees," "My Persian Rose," "When  
 You and I were young, Maggie," and  
 "O Canada," by Muriel Smyth, Curly  
 Porter, Lloyd Morrison, Jimmy  
 Gunn, Jean Porter, Barbara Bundy,  
 Jack Bundy, Margaret Freeman and  
 Irene Freeman, while other items  
 equally as interesting were on the  
 programme, which took place in the  
 following order: Song and dance,  
 "Coming of the Snowflakes," by Mol-  
 lie Gunn, Ketha Tustian, Verdun  
 Leigh, Bridget Burn, "Clare Bundy

and Marion Morrison; Musical Mono-  
 logue, "Harmony Hall" (humorous),  
 by Mrs. Robert Littleton; violin  
 duets, "Sleepy Hollow" and "Sweet  
 and Low," by Arthur Tustian and  
 Verdun Leigh; step dance by Ketha  
 Tustian; two-act play, little sketch,  
 "Playing at home," by five girls,  
 Muriel Smyth, Edith and Sylvia Mur-  
 phy, Bridget Burn and Clare Bundy;  
 fancy dress comic song, "Coo," by  
 Mrs. Littleton; Indian duet by Misses  
 Martha and Ketha Tustian (fancy  
 dresses); violin solo by Verdun Leigh;  
 Chinese song, "Plett-ee," by Barbara  
 and Clara Bundy and Marion Morri-  
 son (fancy dress). The programme  
 was concluded by the orchestra play-  
 ing "Aloha" and encore "God Save  
 The King." Those who played in the  
 orchestra—were: Arthur Tustian,  
 Bruce Bouthillier, Verdun Leigh, Al-  
 vin Murphy, Jack Cowin and Sandy  
 McEwen. Mrs. Littleton and Ketha  
 Tustian sang for the picture song.  
 Miss Martha Tustian was accompan-  
 ist for the evening. Mr. Austin  
 Brownie was the very capable chair-  
 man, while the illuminations were  
 furnished by Fred Tustian and the  
 Lemire brothers. This concert,  
 which was greatly enjoyed, was  
 one of the best of its kind ever  
 staged in Cowley. Forty dollars  
 was the receipts from the door and  
 will be added to the Anglican church  
 funds here, less expenses.

Mrs. Lionel V. M. Peel and two

children, Robert and Iris, of Corbin,  
 B.C., are paying a visit to Mrs. Peel's  
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Murphy.

A piano recital took place at the  
 home of Mrs. A. S. Donald on Wed-  
 nesday night, which covered the work  
 of her pupils from the middle of Oc-  
 tober, 1929. It was interesting to note  
 the marked progress in these young  
 and earnest workers, which creditably  
 reflected the efforts of their teacher  
 on this pleasant occasion. The pro-  
 gramme was in part as follows: Part  
 I.—Duet, Processional March (Mollie  
 Gunn and Bridget Burn); "Spring  
 Dance" (Lloyd Morrison); "Through  
 the A's" (Muriel Smyth); "In Grand-  
 mother's Garden" (Clare Bundy);  
 "Flattery" (Edith Murphy); "Havana  
 Nights" (Muriel Marlow); Duet,  
 "Under the Mistletoe" (Metta Swart  
 and Marion Morrison); "Jollity"  
 (Jack Bundy); Silhouette Waltz  
 (Dora Day); "Dance of the Rose-  
 buds" (Barbara Bundy); "Rose Pet-  
 als" (Sylvia Murphy); "A Lesson"  
 (Gordon Swart). Part II.—Duet,  
 "Moonlight Revels" (Muriel Marlow  
 and Mrs. Donald); "Country Dance"  
 (Gordon Swart); "Intrata" (Lloyd  
 Morrison); "Elfin Dance" (Muriel  
 Smyth); "Merry Peasant" (Clare  
 Bundy); "Bourree" (Bridget Burn);  
 "At Evening" (Dora Day); duet melody  
 (Edith and Sylvia Murphy);  
 "Song of the Brook" (Marion Morri-  
 son); "Narcissus" (Jack Bundy);  
 "Floria" (Metta Swart); "Hawaiian

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Reverie" (Barbara Bundy); "Hung-  
 ary" (Mollie Gunn). An appetizing  
 luncheon was served following the  
 programme. At the close of the re-  
 cital, Mrs. Donald's pupils presented  
 her with a beautiful bouquet of cut  
 flowers as a token of appreciation of  
 her efforts to advance them in their  
 work.

The several Cowleyites who attend-  
 ed the Old Timers' dance at Lund-  
 breck on the 17th, report a very en-  
 joyable time.

A whist drive will be held in the  
 Masonic hall here on Monday night  
 next, the 24th, under the auspices of  
 the Cowley Women's Institute.

Friend (bursting in)—"Say, Jim,  
 your mother-in-law has just been run  
 over by a cross-eyed motorist who  
 was trying to avoid a black cat."  
 Jim—"Oh, that's all right; I'm not  
 superstitious."

Consider the little pin. Its flat  
 head never sees the point.

"Taken In  
 The soldiers marched to the church  
 and halted in the square outside. One  
 wing of the edifice was undergoing  
 repairs, so there was room for only  
 about half the regiment.

"Sergeant," ordered the captain,  
 "tell the men who don't want to go to  
 church to fall out." A large number  
 quickly availed themselves of the  
 privilege. "Now, sergeant," said the  
 captain, "dismiss all the men who did  
 not fall out, and march the others in  
 —they need it most."

"What does your wife say when  
 you come home late?"  
 "Oh, she becomes historical!"  
 "You mean hysterical?"  
 "No—historical. She digs up my  
 past."

We withhold publicity to a couple  
 of police court cases adjudicated upon  
 here during the week, for the benefit  
 of the relatives concerned, who in our  
 minds would be the greatest sufferers  
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 daily papers!

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## Reform Of The Calendar

The subject of reform of our present calendar is receiving increasing attention throughout the world. What was once regarded as more or less a radical idea is now seriously regarded by hard-headed business men and Governments as a meritorious suggestion. As a result, the proposal has reached the stage where the League of Nations has set up a commission to deal with the question, and Governments the world over have appointed influential committees to study the merits of the various schemes proposed. So convinced are many large business corporations of the advantages of a thirteen-month calendar that they have adopted it, temporarily at least, as the basis for their internal accounting and statistical comparisons.

Hundreds of different plans were submitted to the League of Nations commission. These have been narrowed down to two or three for submission to the Governments of the world for consideration. The plan which seems to have the larger measure of approval, and has already been endorsed by the United States national committee, is the work of a Canadian, Mr. E. Cotworth, of Vancouver. Briefly, the plan is to divide the year into thirteen months of twenty-eight days each; to have each week, each month, and each year begin on the same day; to have a new month, "Sol," come between June and July. This provides for 364 days, and it is proposed that the extra day be taken care of by including a holiday, to be known as "Year Day," between Saturday, December 28, and Sunday, January 1.

In the proposed calendar, each of the thirteen months would be uniform, as follows:

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

Among the advantages claimed for this simplified calendar are, from a business point of view, that it will allow of definite and accurate comparisons between one year and another, and between the months, weeks, and even days of one year and those of another, that it will simplify the computation of interest, each month being the same length, and it will also simplify other business calculations, payrolls, for example.

All holidays will fall on the same day each year. So will a person's birthday, or wedding anniversary. Christmas would always be on a Wednesday. "Year Day" would be a holiday between the old year and the new, and the new year would always begin, appropriately, we feel, on a Sunday.

Opposition to the proposed change comes chiefly from the churches and religious organizations, notwithstanding the historical fact that our present calendar was a change from previous calendars sanctioned by the head of a religious organization. The churches do not wish to have their feast-days, fast-days, and holy-days disturbed, even though now they are irregular and as varying as other days in our present calendar.

Our present calendar is the outgrowth of centuries of disputes and jealousies. It is as illogical as were these old differences. For example, the only reason February has only 28 days, as compared with 30 and 31 in the other months, is the jealousy of one Roman Emperor of another because the month named after the former had one day less than the month named after the latter, so he took a day from February and added it to the month named after himself, thus giving it the same number of days as the month named after his rival.

The Bible records that the Creator made the world in six days and rested on the seventh, or Sabbath day, and in the Ten Commandments we are enjoined to "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy." In later centuries, a church ordered that the first day of the week and not the seventh should be observed as the holy day, hence our present Sunday. But Jews and Seventh Day Adventists adhere to the seventh day. Christmas day was a matter of bitter dispute among the churches for nearly 2,000 years before December 25 was finally accepted. But it is not so recognized in some countries even yet. The new year begins at varying times in Russia and China, as compared with other countries.

The fact is, and in consideration of the present subject of reform it should not be overlooked, that the calendar is wholly man-made. There is nothing sacred about it, just a convenience in the regulation of our everyday affairs. That it should adhere to its convenience if it were more uniform and logical goes without saying.

### Losing The Art

According to Jim Curran, of the Soo Star, who has been having a winter vacation in Michipicoten, "very few Indians can swim and are slow in the water. They are afraid about taking chances away from shore." This must come as a surprising news to many, and one wonders if it is true only of present day Indians, but not of their forefathers, who must have had "many rivers to cross" and scarcely any bridges.

The Simpson tunnel through the Alps is twelve and one-half miles long.

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#### Provinces Of Saskatchewan Taking The Lead In Combatting Scourge

With Saskatchewan about to take the lead in all Canada in the fight being waged against cancer, setting up two main clinics, one in Regina and one in Saskatoon, and purchasing radium to the value of \$120,000, just a few statistics on the disease may be of interest.

In Saskatchewan cancer ranks fourth in the list of diseases that cause the most deaths. Tuberculosis, once far up in the list, is now far down and Saskatchewan is credited with having the lowest mortality rate from tuberculosis of any part of America.

The leader as the cause of death is heart disease. Still ranks came second. Pneumonia ranks third and cancer fourth. The fifth on the list in accidents at birth and accidental deaths of all kinds are placed sixth.

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### Overseas Trade

#### Western Canada Has Had Large Share In Developing Trade With Old Country

Trade between Canada and the Port of Liverpool increased over 400,000 tons during 1929, said C. M. Le Conte, Canadian representative at that port, while on a visit to the west. Western Canada has had her share in this increase, he said. Large quantities of grain from the prairies are shipped through Winnipeg to Liverpool, in the ordinary course, and machinery and dry goods are returned.

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### A Doubtful Apology

A youth from the city was walking across a country field when an enraged bull rushed at him and tossed him over the fence.

Painfully picking himself up, the young man looked through the fence and saw the bull pawing the ground. He shook his fist at the angry animal and said:

"If it were not for your bowing and scraping and apologies, you beast, I should think you'd pitched me over the fence on purpose!"

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But a Londoner had an experience the otherday which commands the respect of the Britisher, who is apt to consider about the public services. He was called on a friend from a public telephone booth, and after putting his two pennies in the box was unable to obtain contact. He then went into a store near by and sought the use of the telephone. He professed his call by telling the operator what had occurred at the booth. The girl apologized profusely and said she would take the matter up.

A little later the occupier of the store received a ring from the operator saying to know the name and address of the party who had spoken to her as she had forgotten to call. The occupier did know, and furnished the information.

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### Germany's Tribute To

#### Late Foreign Minister

#### Name Of Historic Street Is Changed To Stresemann

The name of a great German military victory has been erased from the street map of Berlin to make room for a tribute to the memory of a peacemaker of modern Germany—the late Foreign Minister, Dr. Gustav Stresemann.

Königsplatz Street, which for more than half a century has reminded Germans of the defeat of Austria in the battle of Königgratz, has been changed by official decree to Stresemann Street.

The thoroughfare is familiar to many travellers as the street on which two of Berlin's principal railway stations face.

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Proves His Claim

A senior in the law school of the State University, at Norman, Oklahoma, claims to have eaten two cows. His claim is based on the fact that during his time in the university, he has eaten four hamburgers a day, or a total of 1,600 pounds of cow-two cows, he says.

Mimrds—50 Year Record of Success.

### Activity In Land Sales

#### Land and Townsite Department Of The C.N.R. Reports Satisfactory Year

Satisfactory reports concerning last year's business were submitted at the annual meeting of field men and other representatives of the Land and Townsite Department of the Canadian National Railways, and which was presided over by Mr. R. A. Field, Land Commissioner. Representatives were present from the three prairie provinces.

Land sales last year, in spite of prevailing conditions, were reported to be fairly good in comparison with previous years and due payments, both capital and interest, were well met on the whole, so that there was reason to be well pleased with the general situation.

The majority of those who bought land were resident farmers who were extending their operations or making provision for their sons.

Last year ten new townsites were opened, principally in Central Saskatchewan, and thirty-one others have been surveyed and will be opened during the current year. The building of new lines has attracted numerous farm settlers and a large amount of new land is being brought under cultivation.

### FAINT, DIZZY SPELLS

#### Had To Sleep

#### Propped Up In Bed

Mrs. Norman Bishop, Salisbury, N.B., writes:—"I was troubled with faint and dizzy spells and when I would lie down I would suffer terribly with smothering spells. I got so bad I had to sleep propped up in bed. My doctor said it was my heart and nerves, and that I needed a good heart tonic."

"It was advised to take MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS and I had not taken one box when I could lie down and sleep like a child." Price, 50c, a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### Has No Fuel Problem

#### Alberta Alone Has Coal To Meet Canada's Needs For Centuries

Canada will not have a fuel problem for many generations. Under the broad acres of Alberta alone there is a coal reserve which is adequate to meet the needs of the Dominion for hundreds of years, for according to reliable estimates there is a store of no less than 1,050,000,000,000 tons. The quantity makes the imagination reel. Last year the Province's 247 mines produced 7,334,179 tons of coal, 2,432,729 tons of which were shipped to other provinces in Canada.

If the Naval Conference can disarm suspicion the rest will be easy. The value of perfect diamonds is exceeded by flawless emeralds of equal size and weight.

### DO YOU SUFFER WITH HEADACHE?

So easy to get quick relief and prevent an attack in the future. Avoid bromides and dope. They relieve quickly but affect the heart and are very dangerous. They are depressing and only give temporary relief, the cause of the headache still remains within. The safe and harmless way. First correct the cause, sweeten the sour and acid stomach, relieve the intensities of the decayed and poisonous food matter, gently stimulate the liver, start the bile flowing and the bile pass off the waste matter which causes your headache. Try Carter's Little Liver Pills. (Beware 25c red box.)

### Aerial Weddings Are

#### Illegal In France

#### Government Fights That Law Is Very Definite

Marriages in the air have been declared illegal, by the French Government, which points out that the law is definite in that respect, and that the only legal marriages are civil ceremonies which must be performed by the mayor in the town hall.

Despite that, the famous airport of Paris, Le Bourget, has become a point of honeymoon pilgrimages. The restaurant at the airport, which overlooks the flying field where 40 commercial airplanes land or take off, during the day, has been booked every noon for months, by bridal parties.

### Plan Erection Of Monument

#### Canada Will Mark Historic Spot In Manitoba

The Historic Sites Monuments Board of Canada will erect a monument to mark the spot in Manitoba at which was originated the present system of land tenure for Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and the Northwest Territories.

This was at a point 12 miles west of Winnipeg, marking the intersection of the Portage highway with the principal meridian. It was on July 10, 1871, that a surveyor's post was driven into the ground at this place. The monument will be placed there next summer and its unveiling may be part of the ceremony marking the diamond jubilee of Manitoba.

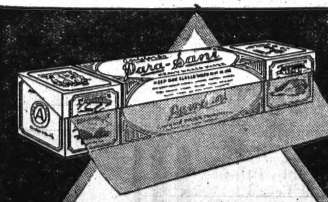
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Keep your foods—cakes, bread, pies, cut meats, etc.—under a covering of Para-Sani Heavy Waxed Paper. You'll be amazed at the length of time they'll stay fresh, delicious! Para-Sani keeps them from staling. Get Para-Sani in the handy, sanitary knife-edged carton. For less exciting uses ask for Appleford's "Centre Pull". Packs in sheet form.

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## LABOR PARTY IS SUSTAINED ON CENSURE VOTE

London, England.—The MacDonald Labor Government was sustained in the House of Commons in face of a vote of censure on the Government's tariff policy moved by the Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Conservative and opposition leader. The government was given a new lease of office, but the feeling is still general that the reverse on the Coal Mines Bill was the handwriting on the wall. The vote was 209 to 225.

The Liberals had announced they would support the government; Sir Herbert Samuel complimented Mr. Snowden, the chancellor of the exchequer, on his fiscal policy, and Mr. Baldwin was reconciled, in advance, to the result.

"The government will win tonight," he said, "but rain washed away the corn laws and so will unemployment wash away this government."

Had the Conservatives changed the wording of their motion the issue might have been in doubt. As it was the Liberals were also bound to vote with the administration when the safeguarding and McKenna duties and the government's supposed coldness to them were made the gauge of battle.

The Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden blamed the opposition directly in the matter of unemployment. Their gloomy propaganda, he charged, had done much to agitate coldness to them were made the gauge of battle.

Mr. Baldwin dwelt upon the Empire aspect of the tariff. It was by tariffs only that economic unity could be attained, he said. "I am unable," declared Mr. Baldwin, "to see any other way. Certain of the Dominions are going to industrialize themselves as soon as possible. Canada will do it probably faster than the others, and she will soon be one of the greatest countries of the world."

The general opinion of economists, said Mr. Churchill, was not in favor of sweeping away these duties but favored sensible additions to their number and the regularizing and systemizing of their character.

All these duties had, in the first place, been valuable and brilliant experiments, but the Conservatives were emboldened to go forward in this direction by an ever-growing mass of opinion as to over-protection bounds. They did not wish these matters to be treated as party questions or "as stunts to be managed by newspapers."

The Rt. Hon. Wedgwood Benn wound up the debate. The secretary of state for India twitted Mr. Churchill with having abandoned his early free-trade faith.

Mr. Benn emphasized, there were millions of unemployed production-limited countries. He ridiculed the idea of binding the Empire together by taxes on foreign foodstuffs.

A number of Conservatives left the House before the end of the Benn speech and the hronal cheers of the Labor members.

Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, chancellor of the exchequer, who acted in behalf of Premier MacDonald, in reply to Mr. Baldwin's criticism, said:

"It is a fact that ever since this government came into office there has been an organized conspiracy. It has been the deliberate policy of certain interests to prevent employment in order to discredit the government."

### Coarse Grain Pools

Initial Payments On Remaining Deliveries Have Been Cut Down

Winnipeg, Man.—Initial payments by the Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Wheat Pools on remaining deliveries of coarse grains to country elevators have been cut down, the Pools have announced. The reductions amount to 35 cents per bushel for oats and ten cents per bushel for barley and oats.

Reductions are as follows: The Pool stated, basis for Fort William: Rice, basis No. 2, C.W., reduced from 80c to 45c; Barley, basis No. 3 C.W., reduced from 50c to 40c; Oats, basis No. 2 C.W., reduced from 50c to 40c. Instructions were wired to agents of the Pool last night, following decision at a board session recently.

At the close of the market recently, prices on Winnipeg exchanges were as follows: Oats, No. 2, C.W., 53½c; Rice, No. 2, C.W., 54c; Barley, No. 3, C.W., 46½c.

British Army Estimates Cut  
London, Eng.—British army estimates for 1930 total £40,000,000, a decrease of £600,000. The total men on establishment, exclusive of India, is 145,000, as compared with 150,000 in 1929.

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### First Application Received

Request Made For Exhibit Space At World's Grain Show

Regina.—First application for commercial space at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, Regina, July 25 to August 6, 1930, was received at the headquarters here, March 12.

The application follows closely the start made in the distribution of a large number of booklets by the offices, in which the announcement is made: "The Executive Committee has set aside a limited amount of space for the staging of commercial exhibits of interest to those engaged in the production and marketing of field crops."

### Children Die In Fire

Found In Ruins Of Home By Manitoba Homesteaders

Newdale, Man.—While their parents were away in the bush cutting wood, the two infant children of Mr. and Mrs. William Hutyn, homesteaders, were burned to death when fire destroyed their little dwelling.

The charred remains of the children—the youngest six months and the oldest two years old—were discovered among the smouldering ruins of the home when the parents returned from the woods.

## COL. BARKER, V.C. LOSES HIS LIFE IN AIRPLANE CRASH

Ottawa, Ont.—A national hero, whose fame in the air was known throughout the world during the Great War, is dead. Lieut. Col. William George Barker, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., one of Canada's greatest war-time pilots was killed when a new commercial airplane he had taken "up for a flip" crashed to earth.

Scarcely 10 minutes after he took off from the Rockville aerodrome in the two-seater, a Fairchild "plane," brought here for inspection by government officials of the Department of National Defence, civil aviation branch, the body of the gallant birdman lay in the shore slush of the Ottawa River, almost every bone shattered. The "plane" was a tangled wreckage.

An official board of inquiry, composed of three members of the civil aviation branch, has been set up to determine its cause. To some among the many persons who were witnessing from the ground the engine stalled as he pulled the machine into a steep climb.

Colonel Barker was flying at an altitude of 200 feet when the engine gave a tremendous roar as the pilot pulled the throttle wide open and swooped upward.

After a climb to 150 feet, the "plane" faltered, hung suspended momentarily and then like a wounded bird plunged headlong to earth.

Life was extinct when horror-stricken eye witnesses reached the wreckage. "The man who came through scores and scores of hectic war combats with his life, although twice wounded, had apparently been killed instantly."

While Col. Barker was president of the Fairchild Aviation Corporation of Canada, manufacturers of the "plane" in which he met death, he was not putting the glitzy new machine through its test paces when the tragedy occurred.

D. Campbell Shaw, Fairchild test pilot, was here for the demonstration. He said that while Col. Barker had been flying recently, he did not wish him to go up. One of the Colonel's wings was almost useless owing to his war injuries.

The machine was in perfect shape and the controls responded readily, said Shaw, who flew the "plane" here from Montreal. Previously Capt. Shaw had flown the "plane" from New York City to Montreal and a half hour before the Fairchild Corporation president took the two-seater aloft, Capt. Shaw had put it through the paces of varied subterfuges.

It was the first time Col. Barker had sat at the controls of a machine of the type and other Fairchild officials suggested he might have miscalculated the power of the engine to drive the machine in a climb.

The was record of the dead aviator, which included the shooting down of 52 enemy "planes" and possibly others unlisted officially, was exceeded only among Canadian flyers by Col. W. C. Bishop, another Victoria Cross winner.

He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss A. Smith, of Toronto, and their seven-year-old daughter, Antoinette.

### Briand Takes Gloomy View

Head Of French Naval Delegation Looks For Early Breakup

London, England.—Aristide Briand, head of the French naval delegation, maintains that the five-power conference will not last more than another fortnight.

The French view is that a five-power treaty will result but cover only technical questions amounting to a preliminary convention on which could be based a later League of Nations gathering to consider disarmament on land, sea and air.

"I have finished my role," he said. "And tomorrow the whole thing will be handed over to the delegations."

Meanwhile, in spite of official optimism the decisive point of the conference has now been reached and the armies almost entirely round France's insistence that her figures cannot be seriously reduced. In this connection, Mr. MacDonald has great faith in M. Briand's power to effect a compromise which will allow reductions; but M. Briand, it is recognized, will not dare to do anything likely to be rejected by the French chambers.

While Mr. MacDonald does not want to see the isolation of France, even if she does persist in her present attitude, this will be the inevitable outcome unless greater progress is made towards finding a solution of the difficulties still to be overcome. Officials state that they are pleased with the progress so far made, but Labor members are telling the Prime Minister they are not.

### Another Trip Planned For Graf Zeppelin

Commander Of Dirigible Outlines Coming Trip To America

Berlin.—The Graf Zeppelin, veteran of a flight around the world, will pay a 48-hour visit to the United States next May, Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the dirigible states in an interview.

Eckener outlined for the first time the complete itinerary of his forthcoming trip to the Americas, which will start probably between May 12 and 15.

Leaving Friedrichshafen, the Graf will make a 20-hour flight to Seattle, Spain, and thence proceed directly across the south Atlantic to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, in about 75 hours.

From Rio the dirigible will fly northward 20 hours to Pernambuco, Brazil, where a special morning mast will have been built and preparations made for refuelling.

After remaining at Pernambuco 24 hours, the Graf will make a three-day cruise via Jamaica, Haiti and Havana, Cuba, to Lakehurst, N.J., where it will stay two days.

From Lakehurst, a 50-hour flight will take the Zeppelin back to Friedrichshafen.

### Detroit May Dismiss All Alien Teachers

Mrs. Lindbergh Would Be One If It Passed

Detroit, Mich.—Following the lead of the city council, which recently ordered about 1,700 aliens employed in various city departments discharged, the board of education is considering dismissing 78 teachers who are aliens or non-residents of Detroit.

Mrs. Evangeline Lodge Lindbergh, mother of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, is one of those who will be discharged if the resolution before the board of education is passed.

### Youngest Ocean Traveller



Beryl Brown, 38 months of age, youngest traveller ever to have made a trans-Atlantic trip alone, travelled half way round the world by the time she reached her mother in Red Pass, B.C. She came over on S.S. Minnedota to St. John and thence by Canadian Pacific to her home. She is showing her doll to officials and newspapermen who came to see her in her sleeping car aboard the train.

### WHEAT POOL HEAD



A. McPhail, president of the Canadian wheat pool, recently returned from a wheat conference in England.

### Start Campaign For Indian Independence

Ghandi and His Followers Begin March To Jalapur

Ahmedabad, India.—Inaugurating their campaign for complete Indian independence from Great Britain, Mahatma Ghandi, 61-year-old Nationalist, and 79 of his disciples have started their march to Jalapur, where he would not be taken into custody, in which case the 16 students of the National University, acting as an advance guard were expected to take up his program and continue the march ahead as propagandists.

### Funds For Investment

Americans Are Anxious To Invest In Canadian Oil and Mining Ventures

Toronto.—"If this stock brokerage muddle was cleaned up at once, Canada would develop more prosperity in mines and oil projects this summer than was witnessed during the height of the activity last summer."

This is the view expressed by John M. Edwards, the Boston financial expert in the Toronto newspapers on the occasion of his visit here to investigate certain prospects his big organization had under way in Canada for this spring.

"A great deal of Boston and New York funds had been earmarked for investment in oil and mining ventures to be started in different parts of Canada this year," Mr. Edwards is quoted as saying, "and with greater security for the public in the new stock exchange rules and amendments to the laws governing marginal trading, business should be on a very sound basis for these Canadian projects this year."

Prize Winners At Winter Fair  
Saskatoon, Sask.—Manitoba and Alberta exhibitors captured all first prizes in judging, March 11, at the annual Saskatchewan Winter Fair. Of the eight classes passed on by the judges, Manitoba stockmen carried off eight of the first awards and Alberta took the remaining four.

### School Act Amendment

Display Of Religious Emblems Prohibited In Saskatchewan Schools

Regina.—Without amendment of any kind, the bill proposing to prohibit the display of any religious emblem or the wearing of a garb of any religious denomination by teachers in the public schools of the province, passed through the Saskatchewan Legislature, and now only awaits royal assent to become law. The measure, however, will not come into effect until July 1 next.

Practically no discussion took place when the bill was in committee of the whole. While there were a few interchanges across the floor of the House, very little debate took place while the bill was under consideration.

### Seeking Tariff Changes

Liberal-Progressives Of Manitoba To Interview Minister Of Finance

Ottawa, Ont.—In view of the fact that the federal budget is expected to be brought down before the close of the month, the Liberal-Progressives of Manitoba have appointed a delegation to interview Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Finance, and recommend tariff reductions.

The Liberal-Progressives have made a close study of the tariff as it affects the agricultural industry of the province and will make specific recommendations for tariff reductions. It is believed that they will ask that the duties be cut on motor trucks, kitchen utensils, paints and varnishes and several other commodities.

## DISCUSS THE COST OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION

Ottawa.—Investigation of the cost of producing livestock in Canada and the cause of wide price fluctuations were recommended by the conference of deputy ministers of agricultural departments, officers of co-operative agencies and producers here.

A proposal for a Royal commission to inquire into problems affecting the industry was dropped after prolonged discussion.

The conference re-affirmed the confidence of its members in the principles of co-operative marketing. Organization of a committee to consider the problem of handling feeds at cost in farm livestock areas was recommended.

Considerable time was taken up with hearing the problems of the poultrymen and considering ways and means to ameliorate their conditions. The stock raisers' committee were aided, and a general discussion took place, participated in by most of those present. The greatest handicap to the livestock industry at the present time was the lack of confidence in marketing methods. It was pointed out, and improvement of these must take place before any betterment could ensue.

The apparent disregard of the middleman for the interests of the primary producer was the cause of considerable dissatisfaction among the farmers, declared W. A. Mackay, of the Canadian Livestock Co-operative. It was clear, however, that in some respects the producer had been careless of inefficiency, but this, he thought, could be overcome by a campaign of education in which all interests could effectively co-operate. He suggested standardization of products, strict grading and an aggressive marketing policy. At the same time it was urged that the same standards applying to Canadian products be made to apply equally to imported products.

Recognition and support of co-operative marketing was urged. But the matter of who should take the lead in developing co-operative organizations found a division of opinion among those present. F. D. Auld, deputy minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, urged an appropriation by the Federal Government for expenditure by the provincial governments. The latter were more in touch with the producer and in most provinces worked effectively with him. The Alberta attitude was to aid operation, he said, but to keep "hands off" organization, and this was true also of Manitoba, Mr. Auld said.

The request of the livestock co-operative for demonstration packing plants developed considerable discussion, but failed to get support beyond the reminder that there is at present no impediment to private enterprise in attempting such work. The conference recommended an enquiry as to the practicability of such a scheme.

## POOL HEAD TALKS ON WHEAT AND COAL SHIPMENTS

Regina.—Attitude taken by "coal people" in Canada forced abandonment of a British Government proposal which might have aided wheat shipments from Canada to Britain. This light on the conversation between the Canadian Wheat Pool officials and Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal and unofficial Minister of Employment in the British Government, was contained in an address by A. J. McPhail, president of the Canadian Wheat Pool.

"We were prepared to recommend, for the serious consideration of our board, a certain proposal made by Mr. Thomas, that I think would possibly have facilitated the desired developments," stated Mr. McPhail, in speaking to a meeting of the Regina Board of Trade. "However, due to the very strong attitude taken by coal people on this side of the water, the whole idea I think has been dropped for the time being at least."

Mr. McPhail offered no further details of the "certain proposal," presumably considering, as he has intimated heretofore, that reports of the conversations must come from British Government officials.

It is recalled, however, that it was reported, while the Pool men were in Britain, that suggestions had been made for shipments of British coal to Canada, in return, it was to be filled on their return trips with cargoes of Canadian wheat.

The old organized grain trade is "doomed" in Canada and elsewhere, in the opinion of Mr. McPhail.

To the people who would like to see the pool collapse, stated Mr. McPhail, there can be no consolation in the present situation of down-pressed grain prices. "If such a thing did happen within the next five years," he said, "the consequences would be particularly disastrous to the old organized grain trade, because I have no doubt it would mean finally their complete elimination."

"I do not believe that even if the worst happened—the farmers of this country will ever be content to return to the system of overmarketing," commented the head of the organization which sells more than half of Canada's crop. He expressed gratification at the local stand of the Pool's 140,000 farmer members in the face of the present trying conditions on the grain market.

"There has been no gigantic battle, no titanic struggle taking place," said the pool head, referring to reports of economic combat between Europe and North America on a background of wheat. The real cause of the present situation, he said, was the very large 1928 crop in export countries; the large crop in Europe the same year; and the attitude of Argentine wheat handlers in dumping wheat on the market at any price.

"There is general recognition that agriculture everywhere is in a serious plight," mentioned Mr. McPhail. "Even in England, where agriculture probably plays a smaller part in the national production than any other country, there is a general feeling, which I failed to find two and one-half years ago to the extent that it exists now, that if the country is to be restored to a proper position of reasonable prosperity, agriculture must be lifted out of the deplorable condition in which it is now floundering."

"I have found for believing that we can come out of this situation reasonably well," he said, "but I believe that we must, as farmers, give very serious consideration to the future. Canadian farmers will do well to consider seriously their methods of production, and particularly their costs of production as well as the quality of their products. Quality is of supreme importance."

### Installing Teletype

At Flying Field

Instructions For Work At Moose Jaw Received From Ottawa

Moose Jaw, Sask.—Arrangements have been made for the installation of teletype equipment at the Moose Jaw flying field and work has commenced. D. C. Coon, superintendent of Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphs, and D. McLean, Western Canada Airways, visited the flying field last week.

Instructions to install the teletype were received from Ottawa and the machine will be on the Saskatoon-Edmonton circuit and hooked from Winnipeg to Calgary.

The teletype is a self-erecting telegraph machine, and weather reports and other matters of interest to pilots will be available at the hangar.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. James Warner on St. Patrick's Day, when quite a number of friends gathered. The honors of the event were in charge of Mrs. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. John Serra, of Bellevue, announce the marriage of their daughter Eda to Mr. Gordon Albert Key. The ceremony took place at the Blairmore United parsonage on Monday morning, March 17th, and was performed by Rev. J. W. Smith, B.D.

The fire that destroyed P. Ubertino's Gem theatre at Bassano caused loss far in excess of the amount at first reported. The building itself was valued at \$10,000 and carried only \$3,000 insurance. In addition, a new talking picture equipment, just installed, was destroyed, upon which no insurance was carried.

The St. Luke's Junior Guild will hold a Tea and Sale of Home Cooking, Candles, etc., in the Moose Hall on the afternoon of Saturday, March 29. Tea served from 3 to 6. [m20-27]

At the Pythian Grand Lodge session at Lethbridge last week, A. N. Warriner, of Hillcrest, was installed into the office of grand master of exchequer, while Jack Griffiths, of Coleman, was given the office of grand outer guard.

A local Scotchman recently paid a visit to Vancouver, and while there happened to hear of the egg pool. Upon inquiry he was told that there was such a thing as the egg pool and that many beautiful chickens were to be seen there at any time, so he headed straight for the pool office and offered to purchase a swimming ticket for ten cents.

## Local and General Items

Face powder may catch a man, but baking powder is the stuff to hold him.

The R.C.M.P. barracks at Gateway, B. C., were destroyed by fire last week.

Mrs. Seta Duncan, of Drumheller, is the new grand chief of the Pythian Sisters in Alberta.

Rev. Father Cosman, of Drumheller, was a visitor to Cowley and Blairmore on Sunday last.

Ordinarily, the busiest man you come across is the one who is trying to make a living without working for it.

Mr. Leslie McKay, of Great Falls, Montana, U.S.A., spent a few days here with his father, Mr. D. R. McKay.

Jack Dempsey has decided to return to the ring, and a training camp is being established for him at Rosarodena, Mexico.

Some of our members of parliament attract about as much attention in parliament as would a fire cracker on a modern battleship.

Primo delivera, ex-dictator of Spain, died suddenly in Paris on Sunday, aged sixty. General delivera bore the title of Marquis de Stella.

When the tired business man can retire to a farm and the tired farmer can retire to town, both believe they will be satisfied, but they won't.

The many local admirers of the plucky Blairmore Bearcats have followed with satisfaction their climb to the top of the provincial ladder. —High River Times.

The Modern Way  
Carrick Salesgirl: "And what kind of steps would you like to buy, sir?"  
Customer: Like those the girl sitting there is wearing.—Exchange.

The value of newspaper advertising is no longer seriously questioned by any economist. A realization of this value, not only to the advertiser, but to the consumer, as well, is now almost universal.

Taxpayers of Drumheller school district will protest against the amount of taxes being levied on local residents for the education in Drumheller schools of children from out of town.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Four-room house, with bath, pantry, scullery, good garden and chicken run. Water piped in. Also two-room shack, suitable for two bachelors. Apply to W. Harrison, 79th Avenue. [m27-3]

The latest fish story: A few days ago, a Blairmore-pet cat entered the house with a live trout, about six inches in length. When advised that the season was closed, the cat immediately returned the fish to the stream.

EASTER TEA AND SALE of home cooking, fancy work, etc., under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Blairmore United church, will be held in the Moose Hall on Thursday, April 17th. Kiddies, don't forget the fish pond. [m13-a 10]

The Bellevue West Canadian Collieries' silver band, under the leadership of Mr. W. G. Goodwin, will render a sacred concert in the Orpheum theatre here on Sunday night next, commencing at 8.30. A silver collection will be taken towards defraying expenses.

Hundreds of people lined the fishing streams in south-eastern British Columbia on Saturday last, availing themselves of a real Spring day and of the desire of fish to bite at practically anything that hovered their way. Some excellent catches of grayling were secured, and at Michel, Natal and Fernie the sizzle of the frypan could be heard in almost any direction.

The Earl of Balfour, one of England's greatest statesmen, died yesterday.

It is rumored that the provincial legislature will adjourn tomorrow, to meet again early in April.

Locals of the A.F.A. at Nanton and other points in Alberta have decided to further try out the Trail fertilizer.

A common printer discovered electricity with two sticks and a silk handkerchief—probably having borrowed the latter.

The 1931 session of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias and the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters will be held in Calgary.

Yes, sir, Blairmore has a whole bunch of good Scotch folk—and the only thing we can get out of them in return for a real joke is a laugh.

A grand St. Patrick's entertainment is being given at the Blairmore, St. John's and St. Cyril's Catholic churches, as well as in Cole's theatre at Hillcrest last night.

Lethbridge has turned down the light and power offer of the Calgary Power Co., and the city manager is preparing plans for an addition to the city power plant, to cost in the neighborhood of \$200,000.

Since Trail has been maintaining a score of three-to-one in all games played since entering the interprovincial play-offs for the Allan Cup, a three-to-one bet that Trail will bring back the jewelry is warranted.

A well known resident of Natal was arrested on Saturday, to face the charge of having set fire to his home, which is said to have been heavily covered by insurance. He was admitted to bail of \$3000, pending trial.

Because the highway between Michel and Fernie was being very badly plowed up by heavy trucks, orders have been posted prohibiting heavy traffic over that section of the highway between Fernie and Crows' Nest until further notice.

With the possibility of teachers' pensions coming into effect soon, we are informed that some of the members of that profession in the Crows' Nest Pass, who for the past fifteen years have been trying to hang on to their twenty-year-old appearance, have started in to use grey dye for the hair.

In Canada there is a tax of \$7.60 per 1000 on all cigarettes. The Canadian smokers in 1929 consumed 3,927,022,325 cigarettes. The tax amounts to 15¢ a package of 20, therefore we paid out in tax alone, aside from the cost of the tobacco, the enormous sum of \$33,000,000, and the reformers don't howl about it.

The suggestion of a High River fan that the reorganization of a hockey or other sports club should take place immediately a season closes is one well worthy of consideration. To the average mind, it is the right action to take, for with the early reorganization, the new executive is given a greater opportunity to prepare for the next season. This might apply particularly to hockey. Then, again, while sport is rife in the minds of all fans and before the excitement has waned, there is a possibility of attracting more people to a meeting.

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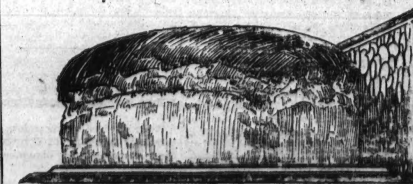
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